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GEO. WINTER KILLED AT BUTTE YESTERDAY

LARGE SEAT SALE FOR WRESTLING BOUT

MOTHER RECEIVED TELEGRAM TELLING OF DEATH OF FORMER DIXON MAN.

RAN DIAMOND-EDGE MACHINE

Had Been Resident of Butte for Seven Years—Has Wife and Baby.

Mrs. Kate Winter, 210 East First street, yesterday afternoon received a telegram from Butte, Mont., telling of the accidental death there of her son, George Winter. No particulars of the tragic affair were given in the message, which simply stated that the young man had been killed yesterday, and despite the efforts of the stricken family, who have sent several telegrams asking for more complete information, no word has been received.

The young man, who was a former resident of Dixon and who has many friends here who will be pained to learn of his death, has been a resident of Butte for the past seven years, and has been employed as operator of a diamond-edge machine. It is not known whether he met his death while working at the machine or not. Neither is it known whether the body will be brought to Dixon for interment, as the victim is survived by a wife and baby who reside at Butte. His mother, two sisters, Miss M. M. Winter and Mrs. Tim Sullivan, and one brother, Wesley, also survive.

MUST ESTIMATE TWO YEARS' NEEDS AT P.O.

REQUIREMENTS FOR PARCELS POST BUSINESS PRESENTS PROBLEM TO FORCE.

The use of the parcels post by the Dixon people is growing, reports from the postoffice today indicating that local patrons are learning of the great advantage the new system is going to give the people through the quicker and cheaper service. The number of incoming packages today was also larger than yesterday.

The force at the office, however, is puzzled over an order requiring that the needs of the office for parcels post supplies for the next two years be estimated from the business done during the first 15 days of this month. A record of all incoming and outgoing packages is being kept, but it is not thought the system will be generally used within a fortnight to enable an accurate estimate of what will be needed.

CLASSES TO RESUME
REGULAR SESSIONS

The Y. M. C. A. gymnasium classes will resume their regular scheduled sessions Monday, following the two weeks' holiday vacation.

253 WEDDING PERMITS
GRANTED IN YEAR

The chimes of wedlock rang for 506 Lee county people during the year 1912, the records at the county clerk's office showing that 253 licenses were granted during the months.

CLYDE BUSCH IS GIVEN
FINE AND IS FREED

Clyde Busch, the young fellow who 'shot up' Pawpaw a few nights ago, was taken before Judge Scott in the county court yesterday, where he entered a plea of guilty. He was fined \$25 and costs, on payment of which he was released.

LICENSED TO WED

Marriage licenses were issued to Leslie F. Pankhurst and Miss Anna Louise Herwig, both of China township, and Homer Paul Shepherd of Atchison, Kas., and Miss Olive Altman of Dixon.

LICENSED TO WED

A marriage license was issued to Fred C. Bork of LaFayette township, Ogle county, and Miss Lena B. Gleim of Ashton.

LARGE SEAT SALE FOR WRESTLING BOUT

TONNERMAN AND JORDAN WILL GIVE A GOOD EXHIBITION MONDAY EVENING.

Monday evening's wrestling match between Ted Tonnerman, the local favorite, and Young Jordan who is touted as a coming champion, should prove one of the most interesting ever staged by the Dixon Athletic association, and the advance sale of seats at Eli's indicate that an exceptionally large crowd will witness the bouts. Tonnerman and Jordan recently worked two and three-quarters hours without a fall and each, while recognizing the other's ability, is confident of winning Monday evening's go' at the opera house.

Two preliminaries will be staged between local wrestlers: Brownie Emert and Red Wolfe will meet at 135 pounds, and Smith and Walsh will furnish a 120 pound event.

GRAND JURY WILL REPORT MONDAY

JANUARY TERM CIRCUIT COURT WILL BE CONVENED BY JUDGE FARRAND.

The January term of the circuit court, which promises to be a busy one, will be convened Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, with Judge R. S. Farrand of this city on the bench. At that time the grand jury will begin its deliberations, the following being the jurors:

Warren W. Holton, Joseph H. Ayres, John M. Trostle, John G. Eichenberg, Jesse Cole, Frank H. Maynard, Wm. U. Baker, Lewis Beatty, John Friel, Gustave Kranov, Wm. Pohle, Wm. J. Callahan, Cornelius J. Fielding, Jas. Downey, Harry P. Syangler, Jas. B. Stitzel, Wallace Eatinger, Henry Salzman, Frank Grossner, C. E. Bettendorf, Aug. Gehant, Knudt R. Gisselseter, Chas. Gibbs.

ASKS CONGRESS TO INVESTIGATE JUDGE

KANSAS CITY COUNCIL TAKES DRASTIC STEPS IN FIGHT FOR CHEAP GAS.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 3.—Special to Telegraph.—The city council has passed a resolution asking congress to investigate the conduct of Federal Judges Pollock and Van Valkenburgh in their judicial attitude toward the gas companies, which permitted an increase in the price of gas.

TURK WAR SHIP SUNK BY A MINE

REPORTED ALSO THAT TWO TURKISH GARRISONS HAVE BEEN TAKEN.

Smyrna, Turkey, Jan. 3.—Special to Telegraph.—A Turkish war vessel, the identity of which has not been established, was destroyed by a mine here today. The number of lives lost has not been determined, and in fact the details of the accident are very meager.

It is reported that the Turkish fortress at Adrianople has been taken and that the Turkish garrison at Chios was captured by the Greeks. Two thousand prisoners.

HARMON M. E. CHURCH.

Services will be conducted by the pastor, H. B. Green, Sunday morning, preaching at 10:30, and in the evening at 7. Sunday school at 11:30.

Morning subject, 'Good Cheer for the New Year,' evening, 'Value of Resolution.'

SEVERAL HURT IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Chicago, Jan. 3.—Special to Telegraph.—John Black, a land owner of Kankakee, Mrs. Rebecca Schneider, Elizabeth Black, Belle Rice and two others were seriously injured when an auto crashed into a buggy near Lowell, Ind., last night.

ADAMS HELD TO THE GRAND JURY

DIXON YOUNG MAN MUST ANSWER CHARGE OF ASSAULT WITH DEADLY WEAPON.

BACON MAKES BOND \$500

Adams' Father Arrived in Oregon This Afternoon and May Arrange Bail.

Oregon, Ill., Jan. 3.—Special to Telegraph—Wm. Adams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Zachariah Adams of Dixon, was this morning arraigned before Justice of the Peace M. E. Bacon charged with assault with a deadly weapon and was bound over to the Ogle county grand jury under bonds of \$500, which at 3 o'clock this afternoon he had not been able to furnish.

The young fellow's father, however, arrived here this afternoon and it is thought he may be able to arrange for bail, in which case Adams will be released.

STABBED MARSHAL.

Adams was held to the grand jury because when Marshal Dan Stout attempted to arrest him Tuesday evening for drunkenness he pulled a knife and severely stabbed the officer in the shoulder, the wound requiring the attention of a surgeon.

The prisoner was not represented by an attorney at this morning's hearing and waived the preliminary examination. States Attorney Emerson prosecuted the case.

BILLIARD PLAYERS HAD SWELL BANQUET

On New Years eve in the K. of C. hall, Captain Kelley and his team served a banquet to Captain Reynolds' team, who were victorious in the billiard tournament, recently finished.

Captain Kelley and his team proved to be good losers and with the assistance of some of Capt. Reynolds' team served a banquet that was second to none. The tables were placed in the form of a cross and the decorations were ferns and carnations.

The fore part of the evening was pleasantly spent in cards and a general good time. At 11 o'clock the doors of the banquet room were opened and Captain Reynolds with his team were escorted to the table, where all did ample justice to the sumptuous menu, consisting of roast chicken, dressing, olives, celery, mashed potatoes, white and brown bread, cranberry sauce, cakes, fruit and cigars.

Captain Kelley received congratulations on the excellent manner in which he served the repast, and all left wishing he and his team a happy New Year.

REMOVED GLASS FROM BOY'S FOOT

Dr. Sickels performed an operation at the hospital this morning on Wm. Knight. A piece of glass was removed from the boy's foot, which had been there about a year.

DAUGHTER BORN.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Borch of Ogle county are the proud parents of a nine pound baby daughter, born last evening.

IS IMPROVING.

Word has been received by Phil N. Marks that his wife, who recently underwent an operation in Chicago, is much improved.

DIXON MAN SCORES

COMPTON POULTRY

H. B. Green spent yesterday in Compton scoring a lot of poultry for the Compton fanciers.

Dr. A. F. Moore spent New Years with relatives in Springfield, Ill., from there to Indianapolis on business. He returned to Dixon yesterday.

Paul B. Kehr is home from Chicago for a few days visit with his mother.

August Reinhart of Franklin Grove was here yesterday.

Gerald Taylor has returned to Jacksonvile after spending the holidays with relatives in Dixon. His wife and son will remain here for a short time visiting with relatives.

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WM. ROCKEFELLER EVADES SLEUTHS

Standard Oil Magnate Escapes U. S. Subpoena Servers From Island.

IS ABOARD UNKNOWN VESSEL

Detectives in New York Plan to Storm Gotham Residence of Financier—Armed Deputies Patrol Street In Front of Palatial Home.

Brunswick, Ga., Jan. 3.—After spending three weeks at Jekyl island in seclusion with his wife and son and the latter's wife, William G. Rockefeller, the Standard Oil magnate, accompanied by his family, left Tuesday on an unidentified steamer for an unknown port.

Only a few of Mr. Rockefeller's closest friends knew of his presence on the island and they refused to discuss his departure, although it became known definitely through one of them that he had been here. On coming here he rented quarters in an apartment house near his winter home and so far as is known, did not visit his home.

No information could be obtained as to the identity of the steamer that bore the oil millionaire away or its destination, but there was a rumor that he sailed on a private yacht supplied for the trip by a New York financier, and that it cleared for Bermuda.

To Storm Rockefeller Home.

New York, Jan. 3.—Baffled in their attempts to serve William Rockefeller with a subpoena requiring him to testify before the Pujo committee investigating the so-called money trust, forty deputy sergeants-at-arms of the house of representatives and private detectives awaited word from Washington that they might enter Mr. Rockefeller's Fifth avenue mansion, by force if necessary, and serve him there.

The heavy guard which has surrounded the oil millionaire's home from the streets and houses in the last few days was not diminished. Every possible exit was under guard.

Charles F. Riddell, sergeant-at-arms of the house, in charge of the squad of process servers, said he felt sure Mr. Rockefeller was within.

May Order Rockefeller's Arrest.

Mr. Riddell said that he expected "something important to happen, as the result of the visit to Washington of Jerry South, chief clerk of the house. It was understood that Mr. South would ask the Pujo committee to issue an attachment for Mr. Rockefeller's arrest.

Mr. Rockefellers' brother, John D. Rockefeller, drove up to the house in a touring car during the forenoon and stopped for a moment at the curb opposite the entrance, but did not alight.

Just as Mr. Rockefeller was about to get out of his machine a newspaper reporter recognized him and stepped forward to greet him. Mr. Rockefeller turned to the chauffeur quickly, and the car shot away before the door had been opened.

The Rockefeller sige is costing the government \$1,000 a day.

JAIL NEWSPAPER MEN

Idaho Publisher and Editor Guilty of Contempt.

Court Sentences Journalists to Ten Days in Prison and to Pay \$500 Fine.

Boise, Idaho, Jan. 3.—R. S. Sheridan and O. Broxon, publisher and managing editor of the Boise Capitol News, were found guilty of contempt of court by the state supreme court and sentenced to ten days in the county jail and to pay fines of \$500 each.

Sheridan and Broxon, together with A. R. Cruzan, were cited for the publication of the message of Colonel Roosevelt to the people of Idaho relating to the supreme court decision barring the names of Progressive candidates for the presidential electors from being printed on the ballots, together with editorial criticism of that decision.

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Mrs. Anna Moore is reported on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Rasch returned to New York City this morning after spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Mary Trein.

Hartman M. Kersten was here on Tuesday from Ashton.

PETITION WILL BE PRESENTED TOMORROW

INTEREST IN PROPOSED PARK DISTRICT IS GROWING—PETITIONS READY.

ELECTION IN TWENTY DAYS

Judge R. H. Scott Will probably Honor Request for a Very Early Date.

The petitions asking for a special election on the proposed establishment of a park district to take in the whole of the township of Dixon, that are being circulated by members of the Citizens' Association, are being very liberally signed and they will be presented to County Judge R. H. Scott tomorrow, when the court will be asked to set a date for the election. The law provides that the election can be held 20 days after the filing of the petitions, and doubtless Judge Scott will honor the requests of the promoters and set the election for as early a date as possible.

INTEREST IS GROWING.

Interest in the proposed scheme is being manifested and those who are studying the conditions state that there is little doubt the proposition will carry when the election is held.

It is argued that the township can take care of the parks much more systematically than the city and that the river banks are without question the proper places for parking places. With a park commission of five members to do a certain amount of work each year, each bit to be a part of a general improvement plan which will in a comparatively short time make Dixon noted for its beautiful parks, it is argued the scheme can progress smoothly and beneficially, and the cost will not be noticeable to any taxpayer.

Peace Hangs in Balance.

London, Jan. 3.—The peace negotiations between the Balkan and the Turkish envoys will be broken off, according to Dr. S. Danef, the chief of the Bulgarian delegation, unless the map which the Turkish delegation is now preparing showing the proposed boundary between Bulgaria and Turkey.

The receipts at the Dixon postoffice for the first nine months of the salary year, which commenced in April, were over \$1,300 in excess of the income for the corresponding period of 1911, and present indications are that the total receipts for the year will be

DEMENTTOWN ... DOINGS

Help! A Whiteside county attorney has been fined for blocking the course of justice. And here we have been thinking that was one of the main attributes of a successful attorney.

And we note where a college professor says that if babies are properly trained they will live 100 years. Fine! It might be possible for an older person to live that long, but how in the world can a baby do it?

We suppose when the world comes to an end Debs and Chapin will be in the presidential race.

Gasoline will still be raising in price—

A certain Col. with a lot of teeth will be having his pictures in the papers.

Goose Hollow Letter.

It makes a feller not under his collar, after he has written a beautiful poem to his sweetheart, the village milliner, describin' her personal appearance and her havin' black locks, to find that since he has last saw her she has changed from a brunette to a blonde. The water works was busted down five days last week and nobody knew it. Joe Manhattan might have been something of a liar in his day, but he never had anything on Hank Tumms of this village. A lot of fellers who know what the baseball score is don't know what their wifes are going to eat for supper.

T. William Hanks is taking a much needed rest from his duties at Tibbits store. He will make an extended trip through the west and will not be back until day after tomorrow. Abner Hicks was seen driving last Sunday evening and there was some millinery beside him. Ah, there, Ab! I know who is the best horseshoe pitcher in this town but modesty forbids mentioning his name. Ye editor has a new pair of pants and we did not send to a Chicago mail order house for them, either.

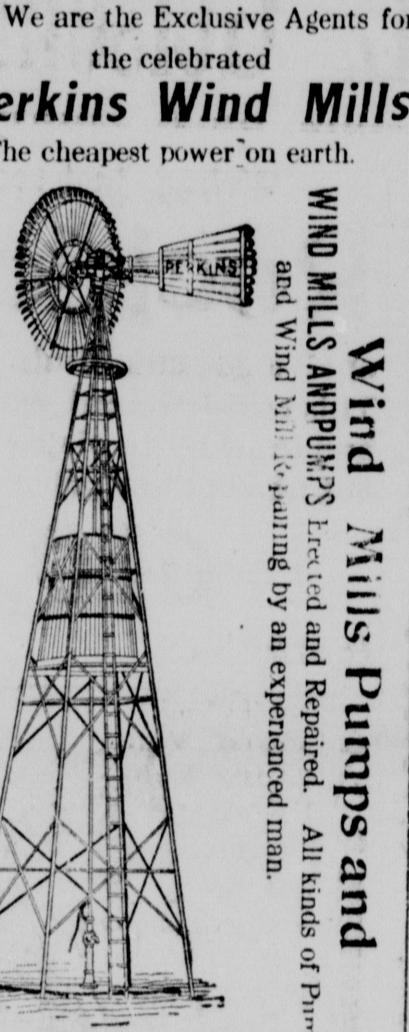
There was quite an accident at Tibbits grocery store last week Tuesday. Hank Tumms dropped a cigar stub in a box of celluloid collars and they exploded with terrific force. Tibbits lost part of his whiskers which was the pride of Hickeyville, but is convalescent at this writing. No insurance.

SPECIAL THIS WEEK.

Fresh Sausage per lb.....	15c
Fresh Spareribs "	12 1/2c
3 lbs. seeded raisins	25c
Gallon Pure Sorghum.....	.75c
New York Buckwheat per sack	25c
Can Fancy Peas	10c
1 lb. Mixed Cookies	10c
Gallon Fancy Syrup39c
Eggs per dozen.....	30c

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NEW USE FOR SAND GLASS

German Surgeons Before Operation Must Wash Their Hands Until the Grains Have All Fallen.

The whistling egg boiler and other patent inventions have threatened the existence of the old-fashioned sand glass as part of the kitchen paraphernalia, and it seemed likely that the children of a later generation would be quite ignorant of the use of what, with the scythe, so often stands as the symbol of time.

A German surgeon, like many Germans a strong disciplinarian, has, however, found a new use for the sand glass, and under his directions one of the larger Berlin hospitals has just placed an order for a score of sand glasses, which, however, are not timed for the boiling of an egg, but for rather longer—for five minutes.

It was discovered that some of the younger surgeons were rather easy going in the matter of cleansing their hands before operations. The regulations prescribe four processes of five minutes each, but rarely were the times kept with any approach to accuracy.

The excuse was that it was difficult to estimate the time without a clock. Others pleaded the difficulty of keeping count of when they began and then reckoning minute by minute with only a small watch to go by. The sand glasses, however, are to put an end to this. Each washstand basin is to have its sand glass.

For five minutes the surgeon washes his hands with soap and warm water and then cleans his finger nails. Another turn of the sand glass, and five minutes more of hand washing with soap and warm water is to follow. The third turn keeps time for a third wash, this time in alcohol, and the fourth is for the process of sterilization with a wash of corrosive sublimate. Over all these operations the sand glass stands as arbiter to decide when each has been thoroughly carried out.

PECULIAR CHARM OF FRANCE

More Restful Than Other Countries, Is the Reason Given by Distinguished Writers.

It is impossible for anyone who knows France, and has felt the charm of the country and its people—and who has not—to approach French problems in a severely critical spirit. The beautiful cities, the broad stretches of wonderful Corot landscape threaded by marvelous roads, form the playground of travelers from other lands. No matter what is sought, there it can be found. The gay life of the streets, the opportunity for the spending of money for beautiful things, the charm of art and music, are offered to the guest of Paris. Those who seek the quiet and freedom of plain or forest have not far to go, and a thousand places, each seeming more attractive than the other, make their appeal for a longer stay than the visitor can afford.

The greatness of France is of so recent a date that one forgets it is not more distant. The whole country gives the impression of a quiet backwater where one can put in for rest and enjoyment, and without discomfort watch the turbulent stream of life in other lands as it rushes by. No other country suggests this feeling in such a compelling way, yet in these pushing times of modern material progress it is all counted as against her success in the international struggle for the trade of the world, that prize which costs annually more blood and money than did the final political dismemberment of Europe.—James Davenport Whelpley in the Century.

Gentleman Farmer.

The farmer who once welcomed the lightning rod operator as a friend of mankind is moving to town now, and languidly supervising the tilling of his acres from an automobile. One of these vicarious husbandmen, established in an Indiana county seat, found it difficult to employ his newly acquired leisure. The automobile had not proved itself a toy of unalloyed delight and the feet that had followed unwearied the hayrake and plow faltered upon the treads of the mechanical piano. He began to alternate motor flights with more deliberate drives behind a handsome team of blacks. The eyes of the town undertaker fell in mortal envy upon that team and he sought to buy it. The tired husbandman felt that here, indeed, was an opportunity to find light gentlemanly occupation, while at the same time enjoying the felicities of urban life, so he consented to the use of his horses, but with the distinct understanding that he should be permitted to drive the hearse.—Meredith Nicholson in the Atlantic.

Old London Cries in Peril.
This is a darling age. Somebody has actually dared to criticize the vocal efforts of the itinerant vendor. It was "Sweet lavender; buy my sweet lavender" that established the immunity of the street cry from censors. There is no doubt that the "sweet lavender" business had, we trust—a good deal of pleasantry. Other yell from the gutter got in on it, too. You would hear a hoarse howl and begin to condemn it, and then stop . . . after all, was it not an "old London cry?" But too much "Milk-O" was at last pricked the bubble. A complainant at Highgate police court incontinently referred to this city as "something between the scream of a hyena and the falsetto of a donkey." "Chairs-to-mend O" may be the next to succumb.—London Globe.

Donaghey Pardons More Convicts.
Little Rock, Ark., Jan. 3.—Gov. George W. Donaghey, who less than a month ago deplored the ranks of state prisoners in Arkansas more than a third by pardoning 300 convicts, extended executive clemency to 26 more.

Alfonso Regata Maura's Departure.
Madrid, Jan. 3.—King Alfonso presided over a special meeting of the Spanish cabinet to express his regret that the retirement from public life of Senor Antonio Maura, the leader of the Conservative party.

MAX PINE



This is Organizer Max Pine at whose command about 100,000 of the garment workers of New York City went out on strike, tying up the clothing industry of the metropolis.

DYNAMITERS AT WORK

Bomb Prisoners Wield Mop and Peel Potatoes.

Tveitmoe, Coast Labor Leader and Editor, and Others, Help Prepare Meal in Penitentiary.

Leavenworth, Kan., Jan. 3.—Peeling potatoes in the kitchen, carpentering and constructing steel buildings at the federal penitentiary here were some of the regular duties assigned to the thirty-three labor leaders convicted in the dynamite plots.

Olf A. Tveitmoe, the Pacific coast labor leader and editor, was one of those assigned to do kitchen work, among his first duties being to peel potatoes. Dressed in the gray prison uniform, Tveitmoe, a man weighing 270 pounds, who has figured largely in labor union movements in California, put on an apron and began at once to help prepare the prison noon meal.

Frank M. Ryan, president of the Iron Workers' International union, whose sentence of seven years was the heaviest of all, was assigned to work in the carpenter-shop. Although an iron worker, it was thought best because of his age to give him comparatively light work.

Also assigned to the kitchen, Herbert S. Hockin, "the Jago of the dynamite conspiracy," was handed a mop and put to work swabbing the floors.

Many of the other prisoners were given jobs on steel construction work.

Indianapolis, Jan. 3.—After attorneys for the thirty-three convicted dynamite conspirators had withdrawn their application for a writ of supersedeas, Federal Judge A. B. Anderson granted their prayer for a writ of error.

During the hearing, W. N. Harding announced that Herbert S. Hockin would not ask an appeal in his case, and intimated that others of the prisoners might pursue a similar course.

The hearing was brief. The granting of the writ of error means that the request for a supersedeas will be taken to the United States circuit court of appeals or one of the judges of the court.

FUNERAL WARSHIP IN PORT

British Cruiser Natal, Bringing Body of Reid, Convoyed by Escort.

New York, Jan. 3.—The British cruiser Natal, bringing home the body of Whitehall Reid, late ambassador to Great Britain, steamed up the Hudson this morning, convoyed by an escort of six United States warships sent to convoy the funeral ship to this port.

The United States squadron consists of the battleships Florida and North Dakota and four destroyers, commanded by Rear Admiral Fliske. After the Natal anchored off Grant's tomb the body of the ambassador was escorted to the Cathedral of St. John the Divine. The funeral will take place tomorrow morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Moon left on Monday for Rockford, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Nicolos.

Miss Mary Berry was here from Lee Center on last Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. R. I. Rice of Oswego is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Davis.

Mrs. Anna Bourne leaves soon for a visit in California.

Mrs. Alice Felker will spend a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Partidge in Chicago before leaving for a visit in Florida.

A number from out of town attended the dance in the opera house Tuesday evening.

NACHUSA ITEMS

Jan. 2—About ten friends from Dixon gathered at the Robert DePuy home on New Years eve and formed a watch night party. Games of different kinds were indulged in and a general good time was enjoyed by all. At a late hour lunch was served after which all departed wishing each other a Happy New Year.

AMBOY ITEMS

Dec. 31—Miss Ruth Wilcox came down from Dixon Sunday and will remain a few days before leaving for college.

Rex J. Moon, chorus director and singer, left for his home at Rochester, Ill., Monday and Rev. Fred Buck went to Normal for a short vacation before resuming their evangelistic work, which they expect to continue about Jan. 6th. Mr. Buck, the evangelist, conducted a four weeks' revival at the First Methodist church in this city.

Miss Elmina Wilcox left Monday for a visit of several months in Florida.

Mrs. Jacob Wohlnke is suffering from la grippe.

The Leake orchestra will give a dance at the opera house Wednesday evening.

Seymour Long was home over Sunday. Mrs. Long is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Alvira Green at Buda, Ill.

The Misses Weylie of Mt. Morris are guests at the home of Miss Cornelia Badger, at Binghamton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hanson have been entertaining two of their grandsons from Aurora, the past week.

Miss Louise James is visiting in Indiana.

Marvin Osan is assisting at the Boynton-Richards store.

The Congregational church held special services Sunday evening there being a musical program given by the choir, with only a short sermon by the pastor. The choir gave two anthems, Miss Ruth Walters sang a solo and Messrs. Fred Vaughan and Will Entorf and Miss Rachael Entorf and Mrs. Roy Brink, forming a quartet, sang a very pretty selection.

P. M. James went to Freeport on Sunday evening and returned Monday evening.

Miss Grace Honeycutt spent Tuesday with friends in town.

The Women's club gave their annual musical at the Fred N. Vaughan home on Jefferson avenue Monday evening, Dec. 30. A very good audience was present and the program was much enjoyed. The program follows:

Piano Solo—Miss Jeanette Vaughan.

Vocal Solo—Mrs. Lee Read, Dixon, accompanied by Stella M. Klein.

Reading—Miss Weylie, Mt. Morris.

Violin Solo—Walter Aschenbrenner, accompanied by Stella M. Klein.

Reading—Miss Hamilton, Dixon.

Piano Duet—Raymond and Rachael Smith.

Reading—Mrs. Burnham, Dixon.

Vocal Solo—Mrs. Read.

Violin Solo—Walter Aschenbrenner.

Reading—Mrs. Burnham.

Solo—Mrs. Read.

Reading—Miss Hamilton.

After the program delightful refreshments of frappe and wafers were served in the dining room. In all a most enjoyable evening was spent. The proceeds of the entertainment will go toward the benefit of the Amboy public library.

Miss Mary Roat returned to Ashton Tuesday morning where she will spend a few days before leaving for her home in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Shaw left for their home at Lacon, Ill., Monday evening, after spending the holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Luce.

Miss Josie Keho went to Kirkland to spend New Years with her sister, Mary.

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J. P. Johnson and wife and son, Robert, spent Wednesday with Dixon relatives. They were accompanied by little Miss Dana, niece of Mrs. Johnson.

Mary Roat went to Ashton the first of this week to visit her sister, Mrs. B. Orner, before returning to Chicago to resume her school duties.

Grover Gehant spent Tuesday night in Amboy, returning to Dixon Wednesday.

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EDITORIAL

WE NEED THAT PARK.

When we get a chance to vote on whether or not we are to buy Dixon College Campus for a city park, let us vote to buy it. The south side, and particularly the west end, needs a park, and a big one, and if we let this chance to get a good park slip by we will never have an opportunity to get another one in this thickly settled part of the city where one is needed so badly.

A good park is an ornament to any city, and it would be impossible to have too many. Some of us may live so far away from that portion of the city that we cannot see what advantage the park would be to us, but let us hope that none of us will take that selfish view of it. What benefits one part of Dixon benefits all of it indirectly.

Evangelist Goes to Herrin Church.

Herrin, Jan. 3.—Rev. H. C. Mitchell, state evangelist of the Baptist church in Illinois, was unanimously elected as minister to the Herrin Baptist church. His home is in Carrier Mills. He succeeds Rev. H. H. Wallace, who has been called to Duquoin Baptist church.

10,000 Bushels of Corn Burned.
Winchester, Jan. 3.—The grain elevator at Merritt, owned by E. S. Greeleaf of Jacksonville, burned with 10,000 bushels of corn. Fire is supposed to have started from the machinery.

Victim of Horse's Kick Dies.
Peoria, Jan. 3.—George Millard, eleven years old, died from a fractured skull. Millard was cornered by a horse and kicked into insensibility. His head was crushed in two places.

Church Announcement

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

Rev. E. O. Bradshaw, Pastor
Morning service at 10:45.
Evening service, 7:30.
Bible school, 9:45.
H. L. Fordham will speak in the morning and Prof. Ransom Harvey in the evening.

METHODIST CHURCH.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.
Public worship at 10:45 a. m. and
7:30 p. m.

The pastor will preach morning and evening.

Fred D. Stone, Pastor.

SUGAR GROVE CHURCH

Rev. Fred D. Stone will preach at Sugar Grove on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

CHURCH OF GOD.

Services in Maccabee hall Sunday at 10:45 a. m. and 7:15 p. m., conducted by Elder S. J. Lindsay.

A cordial invitation is extended to all.

NACHUSA LUTHERAN.

Sunday school at 10 a. m. At 11 a. m., the New Year Communion services will be held. The usual Communion offering will be taken. It is hoped that there will be a large attendance of the members.

Evening services at 7:30.

S. J. Lindsay of Oregon will preach in Maccabee hall Sunday at 10:45 a. m. and 7:15 p. m.

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH.

The second Sunday after Christmas.

Holy Eucharist, 7:30.
Sunday school, 10:00.

Holy Eucharist, 11:00.
Come thou with us and we will do thee good.

GRACE EVANGELICAL.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.
Preaching by the pastor at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

K. L. C. E. at 6:45 p. m. Mr. B. J. Schildberg has been elected president for the coming year.

Evangelistic services begin Sunday evening and will continue all week with the exception of Saturday evening. The following ministers will speak this week. Rev. F. D. Altman, D. D., on Tuesday evening; Rev. D. B. Martin, Wednesday evening; Rev. E. O. Bradshaw, Thursday evening; other speakers will be announced later. Services will be at 7:45 each evening.

Everybody cordially invited, especially strangers and lonely folks.

Geo. A. Smith, Pastor.

GERMAN LUTHERAN.

Theo. Drexel, Pastor.
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

Main service, 10:30.

The sermon will be on Acts 19:1-7, speaking of perfect faith and true baptism.

After the service the annual meeting will take place and the presence of as many as possible is requested.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN.

F. D. Altman, D. D., Pastor.
Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.

Morning worship, 10:30.

Evening service, 7:30.

Mid-week service, Wednesday, at 7:30 p. m.

Catechism class, Saturday, at 1:30 p. m.

Preparatory service, Friday, 7:30 p. m.

On the first Sabbath of the New Year the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed morning and evening. Let all the members come to the Sanctuary on that day. New members will be received. Children may be presented for baptism. The offering for benevolence will be taken. Special services this evening, after which there will be a short meeting of the Church Council.

The following special musical numbers will be rendered on Sunday at the morning service:

Anthem From Glory to Glory Obligato Solo...Mrs. E. M. Goodsell

At the evening service:

Anthem...The Prodigal and the Song

Duet Misses Ada Shippert and Irene Eichenberg

CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

Cor. of 3rd & Madison Ave.

Olin F. Shaw, Minister.

Morning service, 11 a. m. 'Sign Boards.'

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.

Preaching by the pastor at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

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Sunday school at 10 a. m.
Evening worship at 7:30 p. m.
Text, 'An Evil Heart of Unbelief.'
C. W. meeting, 6:45 p. m.
Cordial invitation to all services.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

(West End)

Rev. C. C. Stebbins, Pastor.

Preaching services at 11 a. m.

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.

C. E. meeting at 4:15 p. m. Earl Ryneborn, leader.

Vesper services, 5 p. m.

The Young People's meeting will be a special consecration meeting at which it is especially desirable that all the boys and girls and young people be present. In addition to the regular consecration offering, a special missionary offering is asked for; put it in the envelope with a scripture verse.

With the coming Sunday services Rev. Stebbins enters upon his work in this city. The officers of the church congratulate themselves upon having secured a man of his ability. Rev. Stebbins comes to this pastorate highly recommended by the Ministerial Association of Stark county.

His coming is a great favor to the people of West Dixon and he should receive the most hearty support and co-operation of the people.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Samuel Elwood Fisher, Minister.

The minister and Elmer Rice will leave this week for a month's evangelistic campaign at Keeneburg, Ill.

The pastor will be out of his pulpit until the first Sunday in February. He regrets to leave when interests seem to be larger than at any time for many months but if the interest is intelligent it will abide.

Secretary Bailey will occupy the pulpit Sunday morning and evening.

The subject for the morning hour:

'The Only Question?' Mr. Bailey's sermons and addresses are always such as to warrant the heartiest support of the entire membership.

Other services as usual.

SOUTH DIXON LUTHERAN.

Rev. I. B. Heisey, Pastor. Residence 609 Galena Ave. Phone 14661.

St. James Church.

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Communion service at 10:30 and evening service at 7:00.

Zion.

Sunday school at 10 a. m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

At the Presbyterian church Sunday evening the subject for Dr. Crissman's sermon will be 'The Baker's Dozen of New Years Resolutions.'

Next week will be a week of prayer at the church, with services each evening at 7:30 with the exception of Saturday night.

Sunday school at 9:45. Morning service at 10:45.

ATTENDING MEETING.

T. A. Holway, agent of the Chicago & Northwestern, is in Chicago today attending an agents' meeting.

TELEPHONES IN THEATERS.

On the back of each seat of a new London theater there will be coin in the slot telephones to enable persons with defective hearing to listen to what is being said on the stage.

Pomp in the East.

"I understand the king of Siam has a white elephant." "Yes, and it gave him great prestige until the king of Cambodia visited Europe. He brought back a second-hand taxicab."

The Sabbath.

A world without a Sabbath would be like a man without a smile, like a summer without flowers and like a homestead without a garden.—Beecher.

Business.

"Mirandy, Mirandy! Git up! They're

ten automobiles gone by a ready this mornin', an' th' chickens ain't been turned out into th' road yet!"—Judge.

For Hammer Handles.

Electricians' tape to cover part of the handles of hammers and hatchets will prevent them from slipping out of the hand when in use.

Not Full Knowledge.

Minister—"Young man, do you know how to dance?" Young Man—"Well, parson, I knew the holds, but I don't know the steps."—Life.

Was Nothing to Worry Over.

A clothing designer of Philadelphia committed suicide because he couldn't figure out the season's styles. Who can?

On the Spot.

A girl on a footstool often has an advantage over a girl on a pedestal.—The Tatler.

They Generally Succeed.

People who expect to have their feelings hurt are seldom disappointed.



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Dec. 27 We Will Place Our
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Ladies' Chiffon Gown made over Persian silk reduced from \$20 to \$10.00

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We have just received a late shipment of

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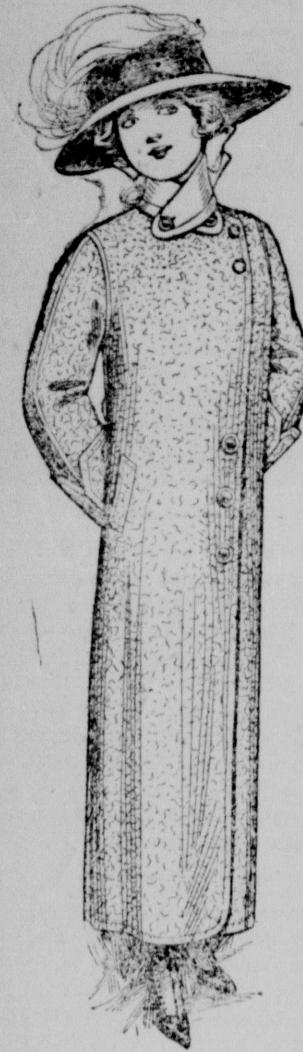
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DIXON ILLINOIS

Ernest M. Thompson and M. Flutz of Ashton were here yesterday on a visit to Chicago.

P. L. Barry and wife of Lee Center were here yesterday.

Wm. Merrill returned from Quincy, Mich., yesterday after a visit with his children.

Mrs. Geo. DeLand has returned from Waterloo to attend the funeral of Wills Boynton.

Geo. Fruin is in Ashton today on business.

Lyle Titus will spend Sunday in Steward.

Max Frudenberg is home from a visit in Chicago.

Charles Sworn was in Oregon and Ashton yesterday transacting business.

Miss Hazel Meredith has accepted a position with the L. N. U. company as stenographer.

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SENATOR BAILEY HITS AT REFORM

Retiring Statesman in Swan Song Attacks Initiative and Referendum.

PRESIDENT-ELECT IS QUOTED

Declares Though He Did Not Favor Wilson's Selection, No Man Living Hoped More for the Success of His Administration.

Washington, Jan. 3.—Senator Bailey's swan song was the feature in congress that attracted throngs to the capital. The retiring senator, defending his own career in congress, made an elaborate attack on the initiative and referendum.

The greatest crowd that has besieged senate galleries since the opening of this session of congress overflowed into hallways and corridors of the capitol when Senator Bailey took the floor at the conclusion of "morning business." Most senators' seats were filled and many members of the house crowded into the rear of the chamber.

Practically none of Senator Bailey's address had been prepared in advance. It dealt principally with the principle of the initiative and referendum, and he directed his words toward his resolution, declaring that such a "system of direct legislation as the initiative and referendum would establish is in conflict with the representative principle on which the representative is founded."

"Rejected Direct Democracy."

"The wise and patriotic statesmen who dedicated this republic to liberty and independence," declared Senator Bailey, "rejected a direct democracy in which the people would rule without the intervention of representatives and adopted a representative democracy in which the people should rule through their duly chosen agents."

The senator quoted from statesmen who participated in the formation of the Constitution and the organization of the government to show that they had never intended that the republic form of government should give way to direct legislation by the people, such as the initiative and referendum would provide.

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Quotes From President-Elect.

Mr. Bailey quoted from works of President-elect Wilson.

"I am a Democrat," said Senator Bailey, "and though I did not favor his selection, no man living hopes more for the success of his administration than I do."

He quoted from Governor Wilson's works to the effect that the views men express on the stump were often tempered by the "common counsel" they enjoy when they finally come into control of the government.

"How often have we seen men roar merrily when they are seeking election, to coo gently when they have attained it," added Senator Bailey.

Lines Up With the "Mighty Dead."

"It has come to a choice between the side led by the mighty spirits of another day, and the side led by the noisy demonstrations of today. For my part, I am ready to enlist under the banner of the mighty dead—of Washington and Jefferson and Madison."

"They say that representative government has broken down in our government," said Senator Bailey. "If that were true, it would almost justify a revision. But I maintain it is not true. I maintain that the government is more representative of the people today than ever before in the history of the republic."

A PARCEL POST TRAGEDY

Jug of Molasses Smashed in Pouch of Letters—Messy? Yes.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Jan. 3.—The first accident to occur here in connection with the newly inaugurated parcel post was when a jug of molasses was found broken in the incoming pouch. The jug was in the pouch with the letters and registered mail, all of which was more or less covered with the sticky substance. So plentiful was the molasses that the two clerks who handled the mail from that pouch had to wash their hands before taking up any other.

KILLED BY HOTEL FIRE

Three Men Burned to Death in Key stone (W. Va.) Hostelry.

Keystone, W. Va., Jan. 3.—Three men were burned to death and a number of others narrowly escaped with their lives when the four-story Wilson hotel here was burned in the night. The dead included James L. Reynolds, a lumberman of Buchanan county, Va., and two unidentified lumbermen.

Three Die in Burning Home.

Stonefort, Ill., Jan. 3.—George Duvall, his wife and small child, were burned to death when their home was burned.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brown are expected today from Rockford for a visit.

AN OLD LOVE SONG

By HENDERSON WELSH.

It had been a very foolish quarrel—lovers' quarrels usually are—but Dick would not admit it so far as his part was concerned. Of course Eloise had been foolish in thinking he would tolerate any such treatment. She was heartless and did not care, and he had been well within his rights in leaving as he had!

But whether he had been right or foolish, he was very lonely now. Cat the ranching has its charms, but they are not sufficient to soothe the heart that longs for a certain girl—even if the head related to the heart does not admit the longing.

Today his mind had drifted back to her more than ever before. Perhaps this was because it was his birthday.

He pulled himself together with a jerk and pushed his horse into a gallop that banished all unhappy thoughts for the time.

That evening the lonely thoughts came trooping back, as he lay sprawled on the grass near the ranch house. The night was beautiful, just such another as that night had been. A great loneliness filled him and he vainly tried not to think of Eloise—or Eloise and her singing.

"Yes, she could sing," he admitted grudgingly, but she was cold and cruel. She did not care—so why should I? I ought to have more pride; and I have!" he snapped, as he thought that settled it. "She has forgotten me long ago," he added bitterly.

Then, through the stillness, came from the house a few chords that struck him like a blow. He knew them so well. Then came a voice:

"Eloise!" he cried, leaping to his feet.

"Forgotten you? Well, if forgetting be longing with all your heart—"

The words were ringing clear in such a voice as has seldom been heard on land or sea.

Dick sank to the ground. His legs refused to bear him. That song was for him—sung as she had sung it for him five years ago!

Dick's heart, also, was pulsing wildly as the song died away and life flooded back into him. He sprang up and raced to the house. What or whom he expected to find there, he scarcely knew. What he did find was the ranch family and most of the boys crowded about a most modern singing machine. He elbowed through them.

"That—that record!" he demanded. "Let's see that last record!"

"Sure!" said the rancher reaching back in the cabinet for it. "Wasn't that great? I heard her sing in Denver Monday night and I tried to get several of her records, but this is the only one. It seems she has refused to sing any other song for the companies. Funny, too, that the latest

prima-donna should pick an old love song like that."

Dick had grabbed the record and on it read "Forgotten" Soprano Solo by Mile, Eloise Remey." He could almost have kissed that record.

"Mr. Miles," he turned to the rancher, "herding is pretty slack right now. Can't you spare me for a few days?"

"Alph," he called, "I've got to catch the midnight flyer. Will you ride in with me and bring back my horse?"

But Dick heard none of the chaffing. His ears were ringing with the song. All the galloping way to the train, then on and on to Denver, he heard it. There he found that the prima donna, to whom America had suddenly bowed the knee, had gone on to San Francisco. The next train took Dick.

He reached there too late to see her before the performance, but he sat through it entranced while Eloise poured out her soul in wonderful song.

Had she forgotten him? Would she forgive him?

When the two faced each other, neither had to ask such questions. Eyes told in a flash what tongues might long stumble over.

"You have been such a long time coming," she said.

"Yes. It was my foolish pride—and then I thought you had forgotten me—until I heard that song."

"I sang it for you," she said, simply. "Of course I love to sing, but it was for you chiefly that I went into public opera. I thought sometimes you might hear, and if you loved me, you might come back to me. Then, when the phonograph company wanted me to sing for them I refused and then I thought that if I sang 'Forgotten' as I used to sing it to you, you might hear it and at least remember the old days." And then she added happily, "I'm so glad I did!"

Milkweed As a Food.

One of the economic triumphs of the new "weed foods" is milkweed, the common, wild variety, that grows in every rocky pasture, in meadows, and by roadsides in abundance. Its large, thick, smooth leaves are familiar to all, and its deep, dull pink tuft of flowers, and later its seed pods, filled with delicate floss and flat brown seeds. When it is broken off, a thick, white, milky juice exudes. This is rich in nutrition. This common and luxuriant weed is now being cultivated in gardens as a valuable food staple, and makes one of the most delicious of vegetables. It tastes almost exactly like asparagus, and is cooked

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Isadore Gehant of West Brooklyn was here yesterday.

TWO OF THE LATE DESIGNS

Smart Models That Have Been Put Out as the Last Word in the Season's Fashions.

The model at the left is of taupe velvet. The skirt is slightly gathered at the top and draped in the back; the tablier is of white accordion plaited satin ornamented with gold buttons and buttonholes and finished with a flounce of black mouseline de sole, also accordion plaited.

The corsage opens over a plastron like the tablier and the collar and girdle are of garnet velvet. The sleeves are draped at the bottom over cuffs of the white satin and are ornamented



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CHAPTER VI.

The Condition in the Coach.
Mechanically—scarcely conscious of the action—the Sergeant slipped fresh cartridges into the hot rifle chamber, swept the tumbled hair out of his eyes with his shirt sleeve, and stared into the night. He could hardly comprehend yet that the affair was ended, the second attack repulsed. It was like a delirium of fever; he almost expected to see those motionless bodies outstretched on the grass spring up, yelling defiance. Then he gripped himself firmly, realizing the truth—it was over with for the present; away off there in the haze obscuring the river bank those indistinct black smudges were fleeing savages, their voices wailing through the night. Just in front, formless, huddled where they had fallen, were the bodies of dead and dying, smitten ponies and half-naked men. He drew a deep breath through clinched teeth, endeavoring to distinguish his comrades.

The interior of the coach was black,



All He Really Knew Was That Those Devils Were Coming, Leaping, Crowding.

and soundless, except for some one's swift, excited breathing. As he extended his cramped legs to the floor he touched a motionless body. Not until then had he realized the possibility of death also within. He felt downward with one hand, his nerves suddenly throbbing, and his finger touched a cold face—the Mexican. It must have been that last volley, for he could distinctly recall the sharp bark of Gonzales' revolver between his own shots.

"The little devil," he muttered soberly. "It was a squarer death than he deserved. He was a game little cock."

Then he thought of Moylan, wondering why the man did not move, or speak. That was not like Moylan. He beat forward, half afraid in the stillness, endeavoring to discover space on the floor for both his feet. He could perceive now a distant star showing clear through the ragged opening jabbed in the back of the coach, but no outline of the sutler's burly shoulders.

"Moylan!" he called, hardly above a whisper. "What is the trouble? Have you been hit, man?"

There was no answer, no responding sound, and he stood up, reaching kindly over across the seat. Then he knew, and felt a shudder run through him from head to foot. Bent double over the iron back of the middle seat, with hands still gripping his hot rifle, the man hung limp and lifeless. Almost without realizing the act, Hamlin lifted the heavy body, laid it down upon the cushion, and unclasped the dead fingers gripping the Winchester stock.

"Every shot gone," he whispered to himself dazedly, "every shot gone! Ain't that hell!"

Then it came to him in a sudden flash of intelligence—he was alone; alone except for the girl. They were out there yet, skulking in the night, planning revenge, those savage foemen—Apaches, Cheyennes, Ogallals. They had been beaten back, defeated, smitten with death, but they were Indians still. They would come back for the bodies of their slain, and then—what? They could not know who were living, who dead, in the coach; yet must have discovered long since that it had only contained three defenders.

They would guess that ammunition would be limited. His knowledge of the fighting tactics of the Plains tribes gave clear vision of what would probably occur. They would wait, scattered out in a wide circle from bluff to bluff, lying snake-like in the grass. Some of the bolder might creep in to drag away the bodies of dead warriors, risking a chance shot, but there would be no open attack in the dark. That would be adverse to all Indian strategy, all precedent. Even now the mournful wailing had ceased; Roman Nose had rallied his warriors, instilled into them his own unconquerable savagery, and set them on watch. With the first gray dawn they

He leaned forward, the stock of the Henry held to his shoulder, and she clutched the window-casing. An instant the muzzle of the rifle wavered



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slightly, then steadied into position.

"Have to guess the distance," he muttered in explanation, and pulled the trigger.

There was a light flash, a sharp ringing report, a yell in the distance, followed by the sound of scrambling. Hamlin laughed, as he lowered his gun.

"Made him hump, anyway," he commented cheerfully. "Now what comes next?"

"I—I do not know," she answered, as though the question had been asked her, "do you?"

Somewhere she was not as frightened as she had been. The calm steady coolness of the man was having its natural effect, was helping to control her own nerves. She felt his strength, his confidence, and was beginning to lean upon him—he seemed to know exactly what he was about.

"Well, no, honestly I don't; not yet," he returned, hesitating slightly. "There is no use denying we are in a mighty bad hole. If Moylan hadn't got shot we might have held out till help arrived; I've got about twenty cartridges left; but you and I alone never could do it. I've got to think it out, I reckon; this has been a blind light so far; nothing to it but blazing away as fast as I can pull trigger. Now, maybe, I can use my brains a bit."

She could not see him, but some instinct led her to put out her hand and touch the rough sleeve of his shirt. It made her sure of his presence, his protection. The man felt the movement, and understood its meaning, his heart throbbing strangely.

"You are going to trust me?"

"Of course; how could you doubt that?"

"Well," still half questioning, "you see I'm only an enlisted man, and sometimes officers' ladies think we are mostly pretty poor stuff, just food for powder."

She tightened her grip on his sleeve, drawing a quick breath of surprise.

"Oh, but I am not like that; truly I am not. I saw your face this afternoon, and—I liked you then. I think a bit—there's ordinarily a chance somewhere, you know, if one is only bright enough to uncover it."

How still the night was, and dark; though the sky was cloudless, the stars shone clearly away up in the black vault. Not even the howl of a distant coyote broke the silence. To the left, seemingly a full half-mile distant, was the red flicker of a fire, barely visible behind a projection of bank. But in front not even the keen eyes of the Sergeant could distinguish any sign of movement. Apparently the Indians had abandoned their attempt to recover the bodies of their dead.

"Oh, they are coming again! What shall we do?"

"No," he insisted, still retaining her hand, confident in his judgment.

"Those fellows will not attempt to shoot us again tonight. You must keep cool, for we shall need all our wits to get away. An Indian never risks a night assault, unless it is a surprise. He wants to see what he is up against. Those bucks have got all they want of this outfit; they have no reason to suppose any of us were hit. They are as much afraid as we are, but when it gets daylight, and they can see the shape we're in, then they'll come yelling."

"But they can lie out there in the dark and shoot," she protested. "That shot was aimed at us, wasn't it?"

"I reckon it was, but it never got here. Don't let that worry you; if an Indian ever hits anything with a gun it's going to be by pure accident." He stared out of the window. "They're liable to bang away occasionally, and I suppose it is up to us to make some response just to tell them we're awake and ready. But they ain't fir-

ing expecting to do damage—only to attract attention while they haul off their dead. There's a red snake under the grass—see!"

"No," hysterically, "it is just black to me."

"You haven't got the plainsman's eyes yet. Watch, now; I'm going to stir the fellow up."

He leaned forward, the stock of the Henry held to his shoulder, and she clutched the window-casing. An instant the muzzle of the rifle wavered

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WEST BROOKLYN NEWS

Remember the band boys' annual ball in the opera house, Wednesday, Jan. 8th.

Let the Foresters all attend their annual installation of officers on Thursday night, Jan. 9th. It will take place in their club rooms.

George J. Thier was in Mendota on business Tuesday afternoon.

John C. Henkel was in West Brooklyn on business New Years day.

Clarence White returned home on Thursday from Savanna where he had been visiting with Wayne Smith for a few days.

Rubenstein, the junk man from Mendota was here Tuesday.

John Untz, Jr., was here from South Brooklyn on business Tuesday afternoon.

M. J. Bieschke and F. W. Meyer accompanied Dr. White to Roxbury Thursday on an auto trip.

Edward Bresson was a visitor in West Brooklyn Wednesday.

A special election will be held at the Viola town hall Jan. 14th for the purpose of ascertaining whether or not the citizens of that township will consent to bond the town to raise \$14,000, which is necessary for the proper repair and expenditure on their roads and bridges. This big expense was principally brought about through the new work being done by the drainage dredge in the Inlet Swamp Drainage district.

Andrew Little was a business visitor in West Brooklyn Monday morning.

Misses Zeta and Frances Meyer are visiting friends and acquaintances in Ladd this week.

Gran. L. Edwards of Viola was in town on business Wednesday morning.

H. W. Gehant left Tuesday for Viola to visit at the F. D. Gehant home for the first part of his vacation. From there he will go to Chicago and other points for short visits.

Jos. B. Bauer transacted business here New Years day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thier and son George accompanied by William Black and family of Iowa, left the first of the year for Texas where they expect to spend the winter. They will spend most of the time along the Gulf Coast, where the weather is ideal and the hunting good. We wish them a good time.

Mathias Haub Jr. shipped a car load of cattle of his own raising to the Chicago market one day this week.

Jos. B. Mettelle is having a closing out sale at his home February 18th, preparatory to his removal to Odell, Ill. We are sorry to lose Mr. Mettelle from this vicinity but trust he will find his new home a real home for himself and family.

W. H. Carnahan shipped a car load of hogs to Chicago this week. The hogs were bought from local raisers and were hauled in on Monday.

George Chaon and Willie Chaon have returned to Rock Island, after spending the holidays with their parents in West Brooklyn. The boys have good positions in Rock Island, and like the place very much.

Attend the band boys' dance January 8th, and help them make it a big success.

Prof. J. L. Dolan has returned from Chicago where he visited his relatives and friends during holiday week.

Prosper Gander and family spent New Years with Jos. Vincent and family.

Julius F. Bernardin, wife and baby left Tuesday for Indiana where they will visit with Mr. and Mrs. Mark Schroer for several days. Mr. and Mrs. Gust Gehant are keeping house for them during their absence.

Let us print your sale bills and be assured of a good job at the right price.

Misses Emily and Clara Jenegau are visiting in the country with their folks this week.

Miss Anna Becker visited in Mendota a day or two this week.

Mrs. M. J. Bieschke has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. August Bettner for a few days this week.

Jos. E. Henry and wife returned to their home in Dixon Monday after an over Sunday visit with relatives and friends here.

Mrs. Van Patten and granddaughter, Miss Eleanor Nichols, spent Christmas in Winnebago with Mr. and Mrs. Len Healey.

William Kirby and Walter Sherlock, who are attending school at Peru, are home for the holidays.

Mrs. Hennessey of Rochelle spent Friday and Saturday here with her sister, Mrs. Schoenholz.

Mrs. Frank Barber of Malta, returned to her home Saturday, after visiting here with her sister, Mrs. J. P. Yetter.

Dr. and Mrs. Kimball spent Christmas with Dr. and Mrs. Zeigler of Amboy.

Miss Lucile Foster is spending the week with Pawpaw friends.

The Ladies Aid Society recently purchased a new range for the kitchen at the parsonage.

Ira Cooper, Sr., is much improved in health.

Farmers are shelling and hauling a great deal of corn to market.

Rev. Doenges will start revival meetings next Sunday evening.

Miss Adelaide Wilcox of Rochelle spent Monday with Miss Lucile Taylor.

The band boys held a special meeting a short rehearsal Monday night.

Michael Sondgeroth drove to Mendota Tuesday where he spent the day with relatives and friends.

Auctioneer P. W. Mason was here from Amboy on professional duties Tuesday.

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Charles Barr and wife motored to Mendota where they visited over New Year's with the latter's folks.

Edward McIntyre Jr., was in town on business Monday afternoon.

The F. J. Gallaher sale on Tuesday brought out one of the largest crowds every in attendance at any sale ever held in this vicinity. The day was ideal and most everybody seemed to be out to enjoy the weather.

It is estimated that at least thirty autos were on the farm during the sale beside the scores of buggies and other vehicles. A monstrous crowd was there. As the sale was a big one, it was started at 10 o'clock, and only stopped long enough for everyone to eat lunch. Twenty-two horses were sold and one hundred hogs, which in themselves make quite an item for any sale. P. W. Mason auctioneered the sale and Oliver L. Gehant was the clerk.

Dr. and Mrs. Aydelotte of Dixon, called on relatives here last week.

Miss Mary Burkhardt of Galesburg is a visitor at the home of her mother, Mrs. John Burkhardt.

Miss Pearl Munson is spending the holidays at Rockford.

Mrs. George Burkhardt is visiting relatives in Omaha.

Mrs. T. E. Jervis and daughter of Champaign are visitors at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Ed Parker.

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John Fassig was in town on business Tuesday afternoon.

Albert H. Beta of Iowa is back in our vicinity, visiting his many former neighbors and friends. Albert says they are doing well in Iowa which is pleasing news to us.

George Dinges was here from South Brooklyn on business Wednesday.

Miss Fern Parker and brothers John and Bunnell who are attending school in Clinton, Ia., are home for the holidays.

Miss Nellie O'Neill returned home last week from an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Nora Stone of Nebraska.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Beitel moved last week into the flat over the meat market.

John Cooper and family of Marengo are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Shearer and son Lloyd motored to Culham and spent Christmas.

Miss Stella Goode and brother of Minnesota are visitors here at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Cooper.

Misses Tomina Hiland and Ida Larson left Saturday for DeKalb where they will take a course at Normal.

Charley Hardy of Harvey, called on friends here last week.

Mrs. Van Patten and granddaughter, Miss Eleanor Nichols, spent Christmas in Winnebago with Mr. and Mrs. Len Healey.</p

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Dixon, Illinois.

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South Bound.
123 Express 11:15 a. m.
131 Clinton Exp. 5:09 p. m.
191 Amboy Frt. 8:50 a. m.

North Bound.
132 Ft. Dodge Exp. 9:50 a. m.
124 Local Mail Daily 6:30 p. m.
192 Freeport Frt. 12:30 p. m.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.

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East Bound to Chicago.

No. Lv. Dixon Ar. Chicago

6 3:33 a. m. 6:45 a. m.

24 6:23 a. m. 9:05 a. m.

28 7:07 a. m. 10:15 a. m.

8 8:33 a. m. 11:20 a. m.

14 11:15 a. m. 2:00 p. m.

20 11:21 a. m. 2:50 p. m.

18 4:04 p. m. dly ex Sun 7:25 p. m.

10 4:15 p. m. Sun only 7:25 p. m.

12 6:10 p. m. 8:45 p. m.

West Bound.

No. Lv. Chicago Ar. Dixon

17 7:00 a. m. ex Sun 10:20 a. m.

99 7:10 a. m. Sun only 10:30 a. m.

13 10:15 a. m. 12:53 p. m.

19 12:15 p. m. 3:34 p. m.

27 4:35 p. m. 7:41 p. m.

*11 6:05 p. m. 8:40 p. m.

25 6:10 p. m. 8:57 p. m.

*11 8:30 p. m. 10:58 p. m.

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30 50 10 Depots 10 30 50

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8:40 a. m. 9:15 a. m.

10:00 a. m. 10:35 a. m.

11:20 a. m. 11:55 a. m.

12:40 p. m. 1:15 p. m.

2:00 p. m. 2:35 p. m.

3:20 p. m. 3:55 p. m.

4:40 p. m. 5:15 p. m.

5:25 p. m. 6:00 p. m.

6:45 p. m. 7:20 p. m.

8:05 p. m. 8:40 p. m.

9:25 p. m. 10:00 p. m.

11:22 p. m. 12:00 p. m.

*Except Sunday.

East Bound.

*6:43 a. m. 7:20 a. m.

8:05 a. m. 8:40 a. m.

9:25 a. m. 10:00 a. m.

10:45 a. m. 11:20 a. m.

12:40 p. m. 1:15 p. m.</

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KILLS HIS FIANCÉ'S FATHER

Warren Crabtree, a Farmer, Slays
Parent Who Objected to His En-
gagement—Shooting Takes
Place Near Lewiston.

Peoria, Jan. 3.—Warren Crabtree,
farmer, was shot and killed by Willis
Miles at the Crabtree farm, six miles
southeast of Lewiston. Miles, who
is twenty-one years old, was engaged
to be married to Mr. Crabtree's
youngest daughter. Crabtree is
known to have objected to the match.
Miles came to Peoria and surrendered
to the sheriff, but has refused to com-
ment on the killing.

Will Not Call State Funds.

Springfield, Jan. 3.—State Treasurer-elect William Ryan, Jr., of Dan-
ville, was in Springfield. Mr. Ryan
had nothing to say regarding the pol-
icy to be followed in the conduct of
his office. However, Treasurer Mitch-
ell received a letter during the day
from George M. Reynolds, president
of the Continental and Commercial
National bank of Chicago, one of Mr.
Ryan's bondsmen, stating that the
treasurer-elect had changed his plan
in regard to calling in state funds
from the various Illinois banks in
which such funds are on deposit.
"The new treasurer," said Mr. Reynolds,
"will be content, for the present,
at least, to allow the state funds
to remain where they are."

Sherman Quits \$6,000 Job.

Springfield, Jan. 3.—Lawrence Y.
Sherman, Republican advisory nomi-
nee for the United States senate,
sent Governor-elect Dunne of Chicago
his resignation as president and mem-
ber of the state board of administra-
tion. He had held the position since
the board's creation, January 1, 1910,
under the administration of Governor
Deneen. In resigning Mr. Sherman
gave up a \$6,000 a year place, one of
the most important in the state. He
took the step with a view of eliminat-
ing any embarrassment the new
Democratic governor might feel in
seeking to place a man of his own
party on the board.

"Young Terror" Under Bond.

Vandalia, Jan. 3.—James Jackson,
the youth who terrorized the citizens
of Jimpton a week ago, when he "shot
up" several houses and set fire to his
mother's and grandmother's houses,
and who fired upon and wounded five
of his pursuers, waived examination
before Squire G. W. Brown and was
placed under \$1,500 bond. Owing to
the seriousness of Jackson's burns he
was unable to appear in court. When
Jackson was overtaken by his cap-
tors he was found lying near the
burning house in a semiconscious
condition, with his clothes burned
almost completely from his body.

State Road Plans Started.

Galesburg, Jan. 3.—Steps were taken
by representatives of several
cities here to select a direct road
from Quincy to Chicago, to be known
as the "Cannon Ball" trail, to be im-
proved and provided with markers and
to be part of the trail from Kansas City.
Harvey J. Riggs of Quincy was elected
temporary chairman and Fred R.
Jelliffe of Galesburg temporary secre-
tary.

Two Injured in Auto Wreck.

Galesburg, Jan. 3.—An automobile
containing Dale Butler and Luther
Drake of Galesburg and Wiley Powell
of Avon turned turtle on a steep hill
near Avon. Powell suffered a fractured
skull and his condition is serious.
Butler's shoulder was broken and
his head injured. Drake was un-
hurt.

Killed Pawning a Revolver.

Peoria, Jan. 3.—While Sam Rick-
man, a pawnbroker, was examining a
revolver brought in by Peter Kun, a
customer, who wanted to get a loan,
the revolver was accidentally dis-
charged. The bullet lodged in Kun's
breast. He was taken to the hospital,
but died soon afterward.

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put a stop to this work of destruction.
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are unknown. There the bird which
symbolizes such venerable traditions
is treated with universal respect.

Couldn't Stand for Wager.

Baylis Steele, capitalist and promo-
ter, one day became involved in a dis-
pute over a question of Biblical his-
tory.

"Elijah was a lucky man," he re-
marked. "Instead of being compelled to
linger and die of some unpleasant
disease, he was carried to heaven in a
whirlwind."

"You're wrong," protested the party
of the second part, who happened to be
afflicted with an impediment in his
speech. "Bay-Baylis, you're rrr-
wrong. Elijah went to heaven in a
chariot of fire."

"You can't convince me that that
good old man was struck by lightning,"
retorted Steele, and the dispute waxed
warm. After it had raged for some
three minutes it reached the betting
stage.

"Bet you I'm right," said Steele.

"T-t-taken," said the party of the
second part.

"What'll we bet?" asked Steele.

"W-w-well," stuttered the other,
"seeing that you d-d-don't know any
m-m-more about Scripture than you
do, I g-g-guess it had b-b-better be
a-a-a Bible." And Steele admits
that right there he backed out.

Bought and Paid For.

"You say this is worth \$5," said the
wary customer. "Now, do you guar-
antee that I'm getting \$5 worth of
value for my money?"

"Five dollars' worth of value!" flashed
the bright young clerk. "Why, mis-
ter, for every one of them things we
turn out there's four middlemen, sev-
enty-eight drummers, five banks, two
railroad pools, eighteen advertising
agencies, seven lawyers and \$42 bill
boards all running up expense ac-
counts and adding value to that there
article so fast that the company's
practically giving you the 34 cents
spent on patent royalties, shop up-
keep, raw material and labor!"—Puck.

My Duty.

There is an idea abroad among
moral people that they should make
their neighbors good. One person I
have to make good: Myself. But my
duty to my neighbor is much more
nearly expressed by saying that I
have to make him happy—if I may.—
Robert Louis Stevenson.

Fairly Good Excuse.

A candidate for state office asked a
Leavenworth man over the phone the
other day to look up some election re-
turns. "I'll do it in a few minutes,"
said the Leavenworth man. "I am very
busy just at this moment. My \$40,
000 business block is burning down."
—Kansas City Journal.

Idea Not Attractive.

"Why don't you write a play?"
asked an actress of the late David
Graham Phillips. "I have too many
other ways of breaking my heart!"
he replied, with a bitterness which
suggested that he had already exper-
imented in the matter.

Finance.

Marks—"I have some money, but I
don't know whether to buy a home or
an automobile." Parks—"Take my
advice, buy a home and mortgage it
to get the machine. Then you'll have
both."—Boston Transcript.



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